





PATENT APPLICATION

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re the Application of

Gregor HAAB et al.

Group Art Unit: 3677

Application No.: 10/649,880

Examiner:

G. Estremsky

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For:

DEVICE FOR LOCKING A SEPARATIVE ELEMENT

AMENDMENT UNDER 37 C.F.R. §1.111

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

In reply to the March 9, 2004 Office Action, please consider the following:

Amendments to the Specification;

Amendments to the Claims as reflected in the listing of claims; and

Remarks.